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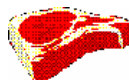
**Livestock & Grain Market News  
Des Moines, IA  
515.284.4460**

**Beef**

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prw/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119	87307	123.33	-1.10
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80	469635	128.64	-1.49
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25	3370081	139.78	5.12
120	Brisket	6-14	1888088	116.19	3.22
123A	Short Rib	1-4	180282	107.42	-3.34
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85	67754	137.10	-0.15
161	Round, Bnls	42-80	247324	146.52	1.48
168	Inside Round	14-26	2187781	146.06	-0.12
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33	99931	140.98	4.29
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		4021758	128.66	2.33
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		105520	145.50	3.31
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
	Boneless Chuck 85%			144.05	-2.37
	Top Inside Round	12-16		165.73	0.28
Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh					
	90% Chemical Lean	2900137		145.64	-4.30
	50% Chemical Lean	442406		155.30	-1.15



**Pork**



Pork Loin, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 lbs/dn	34.5	118.88	3.00
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 lbs	42.5	95.00	-2.39
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs	10.0	142.40	-14.27
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs	25.0	78.52	1.07
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs	34.0	77.00	0.90
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs	4.0	109.50	-5.50
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs	4.0	107.50	---
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		10.5	75.81	0.81
72% Chemical Lean		12.5	72.92	235

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



**Dairy Market News  
Madison, WI  
608.224.5080**

**Butter**

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
1.4675-1.5725	1.4700-1.5750

**American Cheese**

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.6625-2.0700	1.6275-2.0700

**Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price - 23-Jul-04**

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, August

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
1.2571	-0.2863	+0.3138

**Broiler/Ervers**



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Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered  
New York 70.87 Chicago 70.85 Los Angeles 84.29

**Parts Bulk**

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound  
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 186.63 Leg Quarters 33.15  
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 169.12 Leg Quarters 26.68

**Young Turkeys**

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Lb., Delivered  
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs  
Eastern 73.00 72.30  
Central 72.90 72.20  
Western 72.50 72.30

**Table Eggs**

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen  
Northeast 65.00 Metropolitan Areas  
Southeast 63.50 New York 59.00-63.00  
Midwest 57.50 Chicago 59.00-67.00  
S. Central 65.50 S. California 80.00-83.00

**Egg Products**

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound  
Whole 33.50-40.00 Whites 41.75-46.00 Yolks 46.00-48.50  
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb  
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot) Whole Eggs 52.00-56.00 Whites 60.00-68.00  
Central 45.00-48.00 54.00-58.00  
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot) 51.00-54.00 60.00-63.00  
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container (Range)  
Whole 1.79-2.15 Yolks 1.34-1.60 Blends 1.55-1.80



**Fruit & Vegetable Market News  
Washington, DC  
202.720.2745**

**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WA ExFcy, C.A. Storage, 100s Containers Tray  
Pack, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA 17.00  
Pears, Bartlett, U.S. One, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped 100s, Sacramento  
& San Joaquin Valley, CA 14.50  
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, large-exlarge, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 8.40  
Oranges, Valencia Shippers 1<sup>st</sup> grade, cartons 113s ctns, Central &  
Southern CA & AR 11.75

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 8.28  
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA 9.35  
Celery, 2 1/2 doz ctns, Santa Maria, CA 4.38  
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 11.13  
Santa Maria, CA 9.80  
Peppers, Bell Type, Green; 1 1/9 buctns/crates, large, Western NC 8.50  
San Joaquin Valley, CA 7.10  
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, 85% U.S. One or better, 25 lb. Cartons, 6x6  
Eastern Shore, TN 12.20  
Central District, CA 25 lb cartons, lge 10.20  
Onions, Yellow Grano, Jumbo, 50 lb sacks, San Joaquin Valley, CA 4.00  
Potatoes, Russet Burbank few Norkotah, U.S. One, 50lb ctns, 70s,  
Upper Valley, Twin Falls, Burley District and Western ID 11.00

**Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good  
Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per  
Unit.**